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BRANCHED CHAIN OXOACID DEHYDROGENASE COMPONENTS TO ENHANCE  
POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE BIOSYNTHESIS IN PLANTS

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AMENDMENT C - RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the final Office action mailed May 20, 2003,  
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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims  
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